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New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the matter of William Lyons, a Bankrupt.

WILLIAM LYONS of Wharf Street, Victoria, Saloon Keeper, having been adjudged Bankrupt, under a Petition for adjudication in Bankruptcy, filed on the 24th day of March, instant, is hereby required to show cause against the adjudication, within seven days from the date hereof. And all persons indebted to the said Bankrupt are cautioned not to pay any claims, except to Richard Woods, Esq., the Assignee appointed by the Chief Justice.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY

Auction Sale—Lumley Franklin.
I. O. G. T.—Ernest Leigh.

The British Columbian.

THURSDAY, APRIL 8, 1869.

UR MARITIME INTERESTS.

We have already said that Victoria is essentially a maritime town. Assuming the correctness of the proposition, which few, if any, will be disposed to doubt, it would be well that both rulers and people should pay a little more attention to the maritime interests of the port than has hitherto been the case. The important subject of ship's stores occupied the attention of the Legislature to some extent, during the late session. Upon the same subject the Select Committee on the Drawback's Bill took evidence, and sought information. It appeared from the investigation that, while Victoria enjoyed a large trade in supplying ship's stores under a different fiscal system, that trade has almost entirely disappeared under heavy duties and a restrictive system. Now, the veriest tyro in political economy cannot but see that the sacrifice of that trade is a clear loss to the Colony. However important internal trade may be, it is clear that every dollar drawn from a foreign customer is just a dollar added to the wealth of the Colony. Domestic trade circulates money. Foreign trade makes it. Well; this condition of affairs was the subject of a resolution in the Legislative Council, recommending the Executive to make certain changes, which would enable vessels clearing for all foreign ports, without any regard to the length of the voyage, to obtain their stores duty free. The mode by which this was recommended to be accomplished, so far from being "repugnant" to English law or practice, was in perfect accordance with the practice in Great Britain at the present time. We believe His Excellency hesitates to give force to the almost unanimous recommendation of the Legislative Council on this matter, and has referred the question home. Now, we are not going to blame the Government for exercising that degree of caution in this matter which, if we are correctly informed, he has. To do so would be unjust. As we have said more than once, His Excellency is here simply to carry out the instructions of the Secretary of State, *not* the wishes of the people. He cannot serve two masters. But we do find fault with a system which is ever interposing to prevent the most essential and urgent measures. Just imagine a patient and his physician residing at the antipodes—the former here and latter in Dowing-street! The patient succeeds very imperfectly, by means of pen, ink and paper, in describing the various symptoms of the disease, and giving an idea of all those points bearing upon constitution, temperament, habits, dietary, &c., so essential to a proper understanding of the disease, and a successful treatment thereof. The physician prescribes for his distant and unseen patient; but many weeks, if not months, must elapse ere the medicine reaches him, and the consequence is that time has so changed the conditions as to render the medicine useless, if not absolutely injurious. Apply this figure to our political condition, and the reader will have a faint idea of the absurdity of the case. With absolute power to manage our own affairs, an immediate and effective remedy could be applied; but when any really useful measure has to be sent home with a suspending clause to the tail of it, or reserved until Her Majesty's pleasure thereanent can be ascertained, the interests of the Colony meanwhile wither and die! While the grass grows the steed starves. Old Father Antic, the Imperial Government, hobbles along in his tottering gait, and hunger and squalling children cannot wait until he crawls to judgment.

BILLIARD VICTORY FOR CANADA.—It will be seen on referring to our last nights, despatch that the great international billiard match of 2,000 points, played between Dion, the Canadian Champion, and Foster, the United States Champion, has resulted in a victory to the former, who beat his opponent by 850 points!

TELEGRAPHIC.

SPECIAL TO THE BRITISH COLUMBIAN.

EASTERN STATES.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Charles Wilder (colored) is confirmed as Postmaster for Columbia, S. C. This is the first confirmation of a negro. Wilders was formerly a slave.

In the House, the census bill was taken up. Garfielde explained its provisions. An amendment was adopted, making the bill refer to the present census, to be superseded by a bill to be reported at next session. After receiving several other amendments, the House then went into committee of the whole on the Indian appropriation bill. Davis said the committee had agreed to recommend an appropriation of two millions to be placed in the hands of the President, with authority to use it according to his discretion and judgment, to maintain peace and promote the civilization of the Indians (adopted). Butler insisted that the fourteenth amendment made Indians civilized, consequently no valid treaties could be made with them.

Ramsey, in the Senate, presented communication from the Postmaster General, in relation to a cheap rate of postage. Sumner said there was a movement afoot in regard to securing a penny rate of postage.

The bill to aid the construction of a branch Central Pacific Railroad to Portland, Oregon, was discussed. Sherman's amendment was modified so as to leave the President to fix the point of junction according to the legal rights of the respective roads, and so adopted by 53 to 6. Davis offered an amendment, which was adopted, directing the Attorney General to first investigate whether the charter and franchises of the Union Pacific Road and branches have not been forfeited, and if so, to institute the necessary legal proceedings; Second, to investigate whether the Company have made illegal dividends in stock, and if so, to execute the necessary proceedings; Third, to investigate whether any of the directors or employes of said Company have violated anp penal law, and if so, to institute the proper criminal proceedings.

CHICAGO, April 6—Among the appointments to-day, are Thomas Young, Marshal of the District of Oregon.

A Republican special says the House Committee on Foreign affairs have agreed to report a resolution, authorizing the President to open negotiations for the annexation of St. Domingo.

The President has notified Minister Hale and Secretary of Legation, Perry, at Madrid, that their resignations will be accepted, and their successors will be immediately appointed.

The House, Naval committee, have agreed to report a bill providing that no reduction of wages of employes of the Government navy yard shall be made in consequence of tue reduction of the hours of labor.

HARTFORD, 6.—The Senate will be composed of 14 Republicans and seven Democrats. The Republicans have about twenty majority in the House.

NEW HAVEN, April, 6.—Complete returns give Jewell 811 majority for Governor. The Republican majority in the Legislature is forty-one on joint ballot.

CHICAGO, April 7—The *Tribune's* special says that the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, have agreed to report favorably on the Darien Ship Canal, and the Sandwich Island treaty. Probably these as well as the Alabama treaty, will go over to the extra executive session.

Important information was received to-day, concerning the movements of English capitalists, to offset the influence of the Pacific Railroad upon lines of trade with Asia. An influential London Company has the right of way across Honduras, and designs constructing a railraod with lines of English steamers on both Atlantic and Pacific; by which, it is hoped they will be able to compete with our Pacific Railroads in carrying the heavy commodities.

EUROPE.

MADRID, April, 6.—Fears are entertained that the Carlists will make another attempt at a general rising. The Government is taking every precaution to prevent it.

It is stated that Ex-King Ferdinand positively declines the Crown of Spain.

LISBON, April 6—The recent mail steamer from Rio Janerio, says Patanbos, the Brazilian Commissioner to Paraguay had arrived at Ascension and was endeavoring to bring the war to a close. He had made preparations for peace on the following conditions:—The independence of Paraguay to be unimpaired; free navigation on the La Platta and Paraguay rivers to be granted; and that Lopez renounce all claims on portion of San Chaco, Toery, and the Provinces of Matoyassa.

LONDON, April 6.—The subject of the appointment of a successor to Reverdy Johnson, is receiving considerable attention from the press here.

In the House of Commons this evening, Orchadall, Conservative member from Fermanagh, proposed to extend the Church Disestablishment to England and Scotland.

PARIS, April 6—The election for members of the Corps Legislatif, commences on the 30th May.

WEST INDIES.

HAVANA, April, 6.—The Dario considers the rebellion in the Central Department entirely suspended. The flag-ship Canterarell, has gone to the mouth of the Mississippi, to intercept the expedition reported as sailing for Cuba, from New Orleans.

CANADA.

MONTREAL, April, 6.—The great Billiard match of 2,000 points, between Dion and Foster, was won by Dion by 850 points.

CALIFORNIA.

VIRGINIA CITY, april 7—Fire was discovered in the Yellow Jacket, Crown Point and Kentucky mines, Gold Hill, early this morning, and is now raging. Seventeen meu are thought to be in the mines. Five dead bodies have been brought to the surface. Great fears that those below will all perish, the smoke and gas being so dense and suffocating, as to render it impossible to get to their aid, or operate to extinguish the fire. Excitement is so great, it is difficult to get full and exact particulars of the fire. It originated from a miner's candle. But little can be done, the dense smoke filling all the galleries and passages on the level, where the fire originated, and those above prevented any direct efforts being made to extinguish the fire. Four more bodies have been found dead in the Yellow Jacket. There are 23 men in the Crown Point, below the fire, supposed to be dead; from ten to twelve in the Kentucky, also all supposed to be dead. Efforts are being made to cut through both tunnel and shaft, but the smoke is so dense men cannot go down. Notes and signals sent down by the car, failed to return any response. Fire still raging, and smoke increasing.

THE Eliza Anderson sailed for the Sound yesterday, at 12 25 p. m.

New Advertisements.

AUCTION SALE.

Preliminary Notice.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN will sell, on Wednesday, 14th of April, 1869, at 11 o'clock a.m.

A SUPERIOR INVOICE OF

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Particulars hereafter.

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Consisting of: Washing Soda in casks, Sauces, Pickles, Raisins, Currants, Pollock's Matches, Pepper Sauce, &c., &c.

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A LOT OF

FURNITURE,

Lifting Pump, Washing Machine, and Sundries.

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I. O. G. T.

THE Members of Victoria Lodge No. 1, Independent Order of Good Templars, are requested to assemble at the Lodge Room, Langley Street, THIS DAY, Thursday, April 8th, 1869, at 2½ o'clock p.m., precisely, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Brother, Henry Cole.

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Important Sale of Real Estate.

Comprising Suburban Residence, with fine Orchard, Family Town House on Church Reserve, City and Esquimalt Property.

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Friday, April 9th,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

The following desirable Property:—

Lots 22 & 23 of Suburban Lot XIX, on Alfred Street, near Cook.

.....ALSO.....

Lot 78, Victoria West.

.....ALSO.....

Esquimalt Town, Lots 24, 29, and 40,

Situate on Smith's Subdivision, near the residence of Mr. Fisher, Esquimalt.

.....ALSO.....

That well-known and desirable Suburban Residence and Property belonging to Captain H. B. Good, situate on the Cadboro Road, continuation of Fort Street, within a mile and a half from Town, comprising seventeen acres of excellent Land, including an Orchard of seven acres, well stocked with fine varieties of Fruit-bearing Trees, the whole under Cultivation.

The DWELLING HOUSE contains seven Rooms and Kitchen, a constant supply of Good Water, Large Barns and Out-houses, Stables, Piggeries and other conveniences are attached to the premises.

Considerable valuable improvements and additions to the House and Grounds, including refencing almost the entire property, have been made by Capt. Good since he purchased it from the former owner, Mr. Michael Tuite.

This place is admirably adapted either for a Residence, an Hotel, Nursery, or a Dairy. The fruit alone would yield from $590 to $600 a year.

Half the Purchase money can remain on Mortgage at a low rate of interest if desired.

.....ALSO.....

Corner Lot.

That Superior Town Lot, No. 700, situate at the North West Corner of Fisgard and Blanchard Streets, opposite the Residence of Capt. Thain.

.....ALSO.....

On account of the former Purchaser.

House and Lot in View Street, near Quadra, No. 790, suitable for a Homestead.

.....ALSO.....

That Superior Residence on Burdett Avenue, Church Reserve opposite the house of the Bishop of Columbia and built by Mr. Sebright Green, now in the occupation of J. H. Turner, Esq., as a monthly tenant, containing Six Rooms, Kitchen, Store Room, Pantry, Bathroom with Pump and soft water laid on, Cellars and Conservatory, a two-stall stable, Carriage House, a never-failing Well of hard water and soft water Tank, Wood and Coal Sheds, a Cowhouse, Chicken and other out-houses.

The House, Garden and Yard stand upon nearly an acre of land, which is Leasehold under the Trustees of Christ Church for an unexpired term of 17 years, renewable at the option of the lessee for a further term of 21 years; the lessors being bound to purchase the improvements at a valuation at the determination of the lease.

The basement of the House is of Brick upon a Stone Foundation; the Rooms are lofty and well-proportioned, and the House is one of the best-built and most complete residences in the City or Suburbs.

TERMS:—One-third cash; one-third at six, and the balance at twelve months, at one per cent. interest.

.....ALSO.....

One Acre Lot, No. 11,

at the head of Yates Street and View Street.

Further particulars of the Auctioneer.

Deeds of purchase at the buyer's expense.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN,
Auctioneer.

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New Advertisements.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

VICTORIA HOUSE.

THE PROPRIETORS beg to inform their Customers and the Public generally that their Stock of Dry Goods has been removed to the new and handsome building just erected for them on

Government Street,

(OPPOSITE THE THEATRE.)

The new Store was opened on

THE 23D MARCH,

When in addition to the large original Stock,

The New Spring goods

Just received per "CECROPS," "PRINCE OF WALES" and Steamer were added and offered for sale.

The proprietors take this opportunity of thanking the Public for past favors, and respectfully request a continuance of that support which they have hitherto received, and which it shall always be their aim and study to deserve.

WILLIAM DENNY,
MANAGER.

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A. BULER & CO.

OUTFITTERS AND GENERAL DEALERS.

GOVERNMENT STREET,
ADJOINING MESSRS. HIBBEN & CO.'S BOOKSTORE.

WOULD INFORM the People of British Columbia, and Visitors from adjacent countries, that they have constantly on hand a large assortment of

Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods,

Also a great variety of

Second hand Goods, such as Guns, Pistols, Musical Instruments, Gold and Silver Watches, Jewelry, Trnnks, Valises, etc., etc.,

All of which they offer very cheap for

CASH.

N. B. We have just received, direct from England, a large and beautiful assortment of

PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS,

which we intend to sell 50 per cent lower than they can be bought in the city.

☞Ladies' and Gents' cast off Clothing bought and sold.

CLOTHES CLEANED AND REPAIRED.

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Scotch House,

FORT STREET.

A. M'LEAN & Co.,

Importers of all kinds of Men's and Boys'

Clothing, Underclothing, Hosiery, Hats, Caps,

GLOVES, BOOTS.

WATERPROOF GOODS, &c., &c.

and receive direct shipments, by every steamer, from the best English and Scotch Houses.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

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Dry Goods & Clothing.

FINDLAY & DURHAM

Offer for Sale, ex "Prince of Wales" and "Cecrops,"

AT LOWEST MARKET RATES,

Printed Cottons—New and choice patterns,
Grey Calicos—30, 32, 36, & 72 inches wide,
White do—30, 33, & 36 inch, at various prices,
Horrock's White Long Cloths, 32, & 36 inches wide,
GREY DRILLING,
Shawls and Balmoral Skirts,
PLAIDS—Coburgs, Alpaccas, and Merinos,
Tweed and Pilot Pants and Coats, for Indian Trade,
Cloth Caps and Hats, for do do
Heavy Corduroy, Moleskin, and Tweed Pants, for Miners.
CRIMEAN SHIRTS, Serge Shirts, and Cotton Shirts,
Collars, Handkerchiefs, Ties, Scarfs, &c.
Hosiery & Underclothing—Woollen and Cotton,
Duck Pants—Denim Overalls and Jumpers,
BLANKETS—2½, 3, & 4 point, all colors,
Haberdashery Goods—A complete assortment.

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FINDLAY & DURHAM.

The British Columbian.

THURSDAY, APRIL 8, 1869.

WHAT'S THE MATTER?

It would appear from the telegram which we published yesterday, that despatches by no means agreeable to the Colonists more immediately concerned, have reached Prince Edward Island from the Colonial Office. What the precise purport of these despatches is, it would be difficult, at this distance and with such very meagre information as we at present possess, to decide with any approach to definiteness. "Late despatches," says the telegram, "from the Colonial Office to Prince Edward Island, caution the Government against reciprocity negotiations, and inform them that they must pay the Governor's salary," and it is added that these despatches "have created much dissatisfaction." There are two circumstances which may tend to shed a ray of light upon this subject. Hitherto one moiety of the salary of the Governor of Prince Edward Island, has been paid out of Imperial funds, upon the ground, we believe, that the Crown Lands had been disposed of by the Imperial Government. A year or two ago, the Islanders were notified that in the future, the salary of their Governor would have to be paid by themselves. It was thought at the time that this notice was in consequence of their refusal to confederate with the other Provinces. It will be remembered that not long ago, the people of Prince Edward Island, were making an effort to negotiate a treaty of reciprocity with the United States. They took the position that if they could succeed in obtaining a free market in the States for their fish and other productions, they would, while remaining outside of Confederation, possess a great advantage over the sister Provinces. These negotiations, therefore, in origin, spirit and intention were hostile to the cause of Confederation. It would not, therefore, appear to be altogether unreasonable to assume that the policy of the Colonial Office towards that small Province has been shaped, to some extent at least, with a view to making the subjects of it feel the disadvantages of their insolated position, in order that they may be induced to join the Dominion. In so far as negotiating a reciprocity treaty with the United States is concerned, it is not improbable that the authorities at Washington may have held out some encouragement to the recalcitrant Colonists, under the belief that in so doing they would obstruct Confederation; but it is hardly to be believed that the Government of the United States would really be prepared to establish a distinct treaty with so inconsiderable a Colony. It is rather more than probable that the current of events will ere long conduct Prince Edward Island within the pale of the Dominion.

FAREWELL VISIT OF HIS EXCELLENCY TO THE ADMIRAL.

As H. M. S. Zealous, flag ship of Rear-Admiral the Honorable G. F. Hastings, C. B., will leave Esquimalt Harbour for Valparaiso, on Saturday next, a farewell visit was paid by His Excellency Governor Seymour to the Admiral, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. His Excellency the Governor and Mrs. Seymour, attended by Mr. Maunsell and Mr. Lowndes, drove down to Foster's pier, where the Acting Colonial Secretary Mr. Young, and Lieut. Brooke were in waiting. His Excellency and party were conveyed to the Zealous in the Admiral's barge. On the Governor's flag being hoisted on board the Zealous, a salute of 17 guns was immediately fired, her yard arms, as well as those of H. M. S. Satellite, Sparrowhawk, and Forward being all manned, and the guards turned out to present arms. His Excellency was received on board the Zealous by Admiral Hastings and Staff. At half past two, luncheon was served in the grand saloon; the company present being His Excellency the Governor and Mrs. Seymour, the Admiral and Mrs. Hastings, Captains Dawkins, Liddell, Edige, and Mist, Lieut. Brooke, Mr. and Mrs Terry, Mr. W. A. G. Young, Mr. Maunsell, and Mr. Lowndes. On his departure, His Excellency took leave of the Admiral in the most cordial manner. The yard arms of the different ships were again manned, and the guards turned out to present arms.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

April 6th 1869.

The Council met at 7 o'clock p.m. His Worship the Mayor in the Chair. Councillors present—McKay, Russell, Allsop & Gowan.

The following accounts were presented and referred to the finance Committee, H. F. Hesterman for rent; Drake Jackson & Co., for legal services $250, Mr. Wells for cartage $121, A. Strong for cartage $18, and for street repairs $12.

Permission was given to Kinsman & Styles to blast rocks and lay water pipes across Government Street.

The Clerk was instructed to prepare assessment roll under the provisions of the road ordinance of 1869, and that the sum of 10 per cent be allowed for preparing list and collecting the same.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO.—A telegram received last night by Mr. Brodrick, agent for the steamship line, announces that the steamer Oriflamme will sail from San Francisco on Saturday next for Portland, Victoria, Port Townsend, Seattle, Steliacoom and Olympia. We understand that Mr. Holladay will come up from Portland by the Oriflamme.

New Advertisements.

SCHEDULE B.

GENERAL ABSTRACT shewing the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within the Colony of British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual weekly Statements, during the quarter rom 31st December, 1868, to 31st March, 1869.

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNTS.	TOTALS.	ASSETS.	AMOUNTS.	TOTALS.
Notes in circulation not bearing interest		116,560 00	Legal tender Coin, in Gold and Silver		228,538 90
Notes in circulation bearing interest			Gold and Silver in Bullion		36,245 69
Bills in circulation not bearing interest			Landed Property		27,725
Bills in circulation bearing interest		21,357 70	Notes and Bills of other Banks		3,664 41
Balance due to other Banks and Branches			Balances due from other Banks and Branches		225,335 74
Deposits not bearing interest	345,788 03		Amount of all Debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due to the said Bank from other Banks		168,831 29
Deposits bearing interest	163,009 00	508,797 03			
Total Amount of Liabilities		$ 646,714 82	Total Amount of Assets		$ 690,341 03

Amount of the Capital Stock Paid up at the close of the quarter ended,.....$5,000,000 00.
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders,.....7½ per cent per annum.
Amount of the last dividend declared,.....150,000 00
Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend,.....746,000 00

Victoria, B. C., March, 31st, 1869.

JAMES GILLON, Interim Manager.
A. G. GILKISON, Acting Accountant.

I, James Gillon, do hereby declare to the best of my knowledge and belief, that the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Assets and Liabilities within this Colony of the above Bank, during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the "Banking Act," 1864.

Declared before me at Victoria, this 5th day of April, 1869.

A. F. PEMBERTON, S. M.

JAMES GILLON, Interim Manager.

STEALING A WATCH.—A young man answering to the name of Brownley, appeared in the dock of the Police Court yesterday on a charge of theft. The complainant was George Coogan, who stated that on Monday night he had his watch stolen from his vest pocket which was in a stateroom on board of the Eliza Anderson. The prisoner was also a passenger on the Anderson. W. Farron tessified that the prisoner lodged the watch with him on Tuesday on a bet of $20, and upon his being informed that the watch had been stolen he gave it up to the Seargent of Police. The watch was identised in Court as being the property of George Coogan the Complainant. The accused pleaded that he bought the watch from a third party and that he was willing to give it up to the owner, Ceogan. The Court, in order to give the accused an opportunity to prove that he bought the watch, remanded him for three days upon his own recognizance.

A SOUVENIR.—The gentlemau who was remanded yesterday to appear in three days and answer to a charge of stealing a watch from a fellow passenger on board of the Eliza Anderson, has very kindly contributed his photograph to adorn the picture gallery of the Police Court, in case that pressing necessity should urge his departure from the colony previous to the expiration of his personal recognizance.

AWAY THEY GO.—At 10 o'clock this morning the British Columbian Eleven (Cricketers) sailed on the str. Active, for San Francisco, the scene of international strife and international glory! We only can hope that the glory will be ours. The Eleven elect their Captain when they get out to sea. Intense interest will be felt here, as to the result of the match.

FEARFUL CALAMITY.—Our last night's telegram tells of a truly fearful disaster at Gold Hill, Virginia City. Nine dead bodies had been taken out of the burning tunnels, and thirty-five more were believed to be beyond the reach of human aid!

GOING DOWN.—The U. S. Revenue steamer Saginaw, which had been in our port since Saturday, leaves for San Francisco today. The Saginaw will undergo repairs at San Francisco.

THE BURRARD INLET CABLE.—The Matilda, with the Telegraph Cable on board, was yesterday towed up to the Inlet by the steamer Fly. The steamer left the harbour at 4 p.m.

DISMISSION.—Jim, who was on Monday last remanded on a charge of pocket picking, was yesterday dismissed for want of sufficient testimony to convict him.

FOR HOME.—H.M. corevette Scout was under orders to take her departure from Valparaiso for England and would sail about he 10th February.

AGAIN REMANDED.—Toby, the Indian who is under a charge of stabbing the baker in Store Street, was again remanded for two days.

SCOTCH HOUSE.—A McLean & Co. are just opening a fine assortment of Summer hats, and clothing received by last express. *

FUNERAL.—The funeral of Henry Cole, deceased, will take place today at half past two p.m., as will be seen by advertisement.

DESERTION.—Chas. Babb, a deserter from H. M. ship Zealous, was yesterday brought before the Police Court, and sentenced to be given up to the Naval authorities.

DEPARTURE. The Rev. Mr. Lindsley and wife left on the Eliza Anderson yesterday, for Portland, by the way of Olympia.

TO LEAVE.—The Zealous will take her departure from Esquimalt harbour on Saturday next for Valparaiso.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.—The Active will sail for San Francisco direct to-day at 10 a.m.

ENGLISH MAIL SUMMARY.

Our English files being only to the 15th of February, much intesest in our summary will not be expected. To begin right royally, the Prince and Princess of Wales were doing Egypt, the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus. They were the recipients of much attention from the Viceroy of Egypt. A terrible accident happened at a fox hunt, on the 4th of February, in the West of Yorkshire. A fox was started and, after an excellent run of one hours duration, crossed the river Ure, the hounds following. The huntsmen made for the ferry, the stream being greatly swollen by recent rains. Sixteen gentlemen with their horses crowded into a vessel intended to accomodate only half that number. Those who entered the boat were—Sir Slingsby, Ovis (the whip), Sir G. Wombwell, Capt. Vyner, Capt, Molyneux, the Hon. Henry Moylneux, Capt. Key, Mr. White and some more of the York officers whose names it has been found impossible to ascertain. Of these the following were drowned:—Sir Charles Slingsby, Bart., of Scriven-park; Mr. E. Lloyd, of Lingcroft, near York; Wm. Ovis (first whip); — Warriner (Gardiner at Newby Hall); — Warriner (son of the above. Viscount Downe, Lord Lascelles and several others, who were either unable to find room in the boat or had their doubts as to its safety, remained on the banks awaiting its return. Seizing the chain by which the flat-bottomed boat is propelled, Captain Vyner and his brother pushed off from the river side, and sent the vessel right into the stream. Ere one-third of the distance had been traversed Sir Charles Slingsby's horse became restive, and kicked the animal belonging to Sir George Wombell. The latter—a high-mettled chesnut—returned the kick with interest, and something very like a panic amongst the animals took place. The boat was swayed first to one side and then to the other, and finally it was fairly turned bottom upwards. The scene which then ensued was indescribable. For a moment the slimy bottom of the boat, rocked to and fro by the struggle of the imprisoned men and horses, was all that could be seen by the horror-stricken spectators on the bank; then, here and there in different parts of the stream, heads began to appear only to sink again amidst agonised cries, and hands and arms were flung up in mute despair. Horses were seen to battle with the current, striking out with all their energy, and their masters were swept by the current out of the reach of those so anxious to afford relief. In many cases, however, the prompt measures taken by the spectators were effectual. Those who could swim, cast their coats, and plunged to save their friends, whilst others, not so happily gifted, took less vigorous, though not less useful steps. Lines formed of whips were tied together and thrown in reach of the drowning men, and several beams of wood which fortunately lay scattered about were quickly launched into the stream. Captain Vyner was one of the first to get his head out of water, and to save himself from the current by clinging to the upturned vessel. After a vigorous struggle he reached the top of the boat, and was enable to assist first Sir George Wombwell and afterwards one of the York officers to the same vantage ground. Mr. White got on shore by means of the chain stretched across the ferry, whilst others were resecued, by means adopted for their safety from the banks. The greatest confusion prevailed, and when the roll was called, six of those who had embarked on the stream were found to have gone to their long account. Sir C. Slingsby, who but some half-hour before had gaily led the hunt, was the first missed. He was seen floating helplessly down the stream, the back part of his head and shoulders being alone above the water. Mr. Lloyd was the next blank. A good swimmer, he was seen to battle for life with the current; but unhappily made for the bank which was the farthest away, and which he failed to reach. Mr. Robinson, Ovis, and the ferrymen were the others unaccounted for, and as they had not been seen after the boat capsized, they must have been unable to escape from beneath. Sir George Wombwell was almost insensible when Captain Vyner got him on the boat; and he stated that his exhaustion was so great that he could not remember by what means he was saved. One of the officers was badly kicked by the horses whilst under water, and others sustained injuries of a similar character. Sir Slingsby's corpse was found about half-past 4, some three hundred yards below where the accident happened, and close to a small waterfall. The bodies of Mr. Lloyd and Mr. Robinson were recovered soon afterwards near to the same spot. The watch of the last named gentleman had stopped at 10 minutes to 2 o'clock—thus indicating the hour of the occurrence Only one horse managed to reach the shore. The bodies of most of the others have been found. Sir Charles Slingsby was riding one of the oldest and most favorite of his hunters—"Old Saltfish"—and, strange to say, this gallant steed was discovered lying near the master whom it had served so faithfully for some fifteen years. Robert Keeley, one of the subtlest and most popular comedians of modern times, died on the 3rd. He retired from the stage abaut five years ago, and was in his 75th year. Gladstone and Disreali had each addressed notes to the members of the parties of which they are the recognized heads in the House of Commons, urging them to be in their places on the 16th, as business of great importance would demand their attention. Mr. Stansfield, M.P., third Lord Commissioner of the Treasury, was sworn in a member of the Privy Council. The Conservatives have been unfortunate in the matter of election petitions. Two more members of the party have been unseated: Sir A. Guinness, of Dublin, for bribery, and Mr. J. A. Phipps, of Westbury, for intimidation. The Liberals of south-west Lancashire are raising a fund for the purpose of presenting Mr. Gladstone with a substantial testimonial, in acknowledgement of past services, and as a mark of enduring confidence. Fenianism was still cropping out at certain public gatherings in Liverpool, and the authorities were on the alert, but no arrests had been made. Mr. Lowe, the new Chancellor of the Exchequer, taunts the Conservative party, and says, "No party can ever survive the loss of its own principles, of its own respect, and of the respect of mankind at large." In direct opposition to the repeated assurances of his chief, Mr. Lowe intimates that disestablishment will not stop with the Irish Church! A memorial, signed by the "Archbishops and Bishops of the Irish branch of the United Church of England and Ireland," praying that the Crown will be pleased "to grant to this branch of the United Church, the same liberty of convocation which is enjoyed by the English provinces," The official reply is that Her Majesty's Government, "after mature consideration of the memorial, do not feel justified in advising Her Majesty to accede to its prayer," was presented to the Government. A rather important decision has been rendered by Sir Alexander Cockburn, in the case of Phillips against ex-Governor Eyre. Phillips was arrested and imprisoned in connection with the Jamaica outbreak, and he brought an action against Mr. Eyre. The defendant took shelter under the act of indemnification subsequently passed by the Jamaica Legislature, and although there was a virtual admission of the alledged wrongful act, yet the Colonial Act of indemnification was held to be a bar to the action.

New Advertisements.

PRIVATE BOARD & LODGING
—AT—
PANDORA HOUSE,

(Adjoining the Synagogue, Pandora St.)

THIS COMMODIOUS BRICK BUILDING has been specially opened by the Proprietor with a view of offering first class accomodation to families and others visiting Victoria, as well as to permanent residents.

The Rooms are spacious and Comfortably Furnished and the TERMS MODERATE.

Under the management of
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New Advertisments.

LONDON HOUSE,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
(MARCH, 1869.)

WE HAVE just received by "PRINCE OF WALES" and last Express, large additions to our Stock for Spring and Summer Trade, and now offer for sale a full assortment of First Class Goods in every department, Well adapted for either

Wholesale or Retail

buyers. The whole have been very carefully selected in Europe.

J. H. TURNER & Co.

Dress Goods,
Silks,
Shawls,
Mantles,
Linens,
Sheetings,
Shirtings,
Blankets,
Flannels,
Curtains,
Carpets,
Rugs,
Mats,
Cloths,
Hosiery,
Gloves,
Underclothing,
Baby Linen,
Lace Goods,
Embroideries,
Masonic Goods,
Hats,
Bonnets,
Flowers,
Feathers,

very large assortment of

FANCY GOODS,

&c., &c., &c.,

Fresh supplies to arrive each Steamer.
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AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
Salesroom — Fireproof Stone Building, Wharf Street, near Yates.

CASH ADVANCES MADE ON CONSIGNMENTS.

AUCTION SALE.

J. P. DAVIES & Co., have received instruction from Mr. J. B. Thompson, to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the

CROWN HOTEL,
ESQUIMALT,
Tuesday, April 20th,
AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Household Furniture, Stock Wines, Liquors, Etc., Viz.:

LIQUORS,

S. B. Old Tom, Orange Bitters, Sazerac, Martelle and Hennessy Brandies in Case and Bulk, Green Case Gin, Ale and Porter in Cases, Sherry in Case and Bulk, Mums Champagne, Scotch and Irish Whiskey, and Claret in Case.

BAR FIXTURES,

Large Lot Measures, New Taps, Glass Rack, Tumblers, Wine and Champagne Glasses, Barrels, Demijohns, Cigars and One Iron Safe, large Looking Glass.

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Carpets, Bedsteads, Hair, Pulu and other Beds, Pillows, Blankets, Sheets, Counterpanes, Large Pier and other Looking Glasses, Clocks, Sofas, Couches, Arm, Wood, and Cane Seat Chairs, Round, Centre, Card, and other Tables, Washstands and Furniture, Benches, Caraffes, Stoves, Coal Oil Lamp, Engravings, Etc.

A large Lot of KITCHEN FURNITURE and Tools.

A large size, nearly new, BAGATELLE TABLE.

.....ALSO.....

The Celebrated Race Horse, JOE BOWERS, good in Single or Double Harness.

A First Class Top Buggy and Harness,

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10 Cords (two foot cut) Wood,
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SATURDAY NEXT, APRIL 10TH,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

A SUPERIOR LOT OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Bedsteads, Pulu, Hair, Wool, and Feather Beds and Pillows, Blankets, Counterpanes, Sofas, Couches, Loo and other Tables, Brussels and Velvet Carpets and Rugs, Chairs in variety, Washstands and Furniture, Sideboard, Chests of Drawers, Looking Glasses, Whot-nots, Fenders and Irons, Table Cutlery, Glassware, Parlor and Kitchen Stoves, Cruets, Butter Coolers, Clocks, Cocoa Matting, Crockery, Tubs, Buckets.

KITCHEN FURNITURE.

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GOVERNMENT STREET,
VICTORIA, B. C.
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WANTED IMMEDIATELY.

ABLE and Ordinary Seamen for the Ship "ALASKA" for China. She can accommodate 4 Cabin Passengers.

Apply to
J. NAGLE,
Office near the Police Barracks ap6

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having claims against me are requested to present the same forthwith.

WM. LYONS.
Victoria, V. I., April 5th, 1869. ap6

New Advertisements.

ESTABLISHED A. D. 1858.

WILLIAM NEWBURY,

(SUCCESSOR TO JOHN MARTIN.)

SADDLE, COLLAR, HARNESS, TRUNK AND VALISE MANUFACTURER,

COLONIST BUILDING, GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, B.

THANKS his numerous Patrons for their liberal support, and assures them that it will be his constant study to merit a continuance of their favors.

W. N. calls attention to his present stock of

Carriage, Concord, Buggy, Light and Heavy

HARNESS,

Which for Style and Durability is unequalled on this coast, and he having a thorough knowledge of the business in its various branches, and employing none but first class tradesmen in the departments, is a sufficient guarantee that all orders will be attended to promptly and completed in the best style of workmanship, and at the lowest possible prices.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Riding Whips "by late arrivals."

Horse Clothing in Stock and made to order.

Carriage Trimming and repairing done on the shortest notice.

☞ The Trade supplied on advantageous terms.

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THE SEED STORE, YATES STREET.

VICTORIA, V. I.

JAY & BALES

offer for sale the finest assortment of

GRASSES, CLOVERS, and other FIELD and GARDEN SEEDS on the Pacific Coast.

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Fruit Trees and Bushes, Evergreen and other Shrubs, Flowering Plants for the house and garden, and every other kind of NURSERY STOCK, at low prices.

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Agents for GRIMAULTS, of Paris.
Hyposphite of Lime, Matice Injection and Capsules, Pepsine, &c.
Dr. D. Jayne & Son's Expectorant, Alterative, &c.
Professor Holloway's Pills and Ointment.
Yardley & Co.'s pure and economical Toilette Soaps.
Rowland's Macassar Oil, Kalydor, & Odonto.
Rigaud's, of Paris, Choice Perfumery.
Farnan's Gout Specific, &c., &c., &c.

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NOTICE.

WHEREAS my wife, Elizabeth Lyons, has left my bed and board, I hereby caution all persons from giving her credit on my account, as I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her from this date,

WILLIAM LYONS.

Witness, HENRY C. COURTNEY,
Victoria, March 23d, 1869. ma24

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RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the travelling public that the above Hotel is the MOST COMMODIOUS and CLEANEST HOTEL in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle, and the table is supplied with the very best the market affords.

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Single Meals	37½
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In Re WILSON & MURRAY.

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J. G. NORRIS.
By order of the Trade Assignees. ma21

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CLOTHING, HOSIERY,

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A LARGE AND SUPERIOR STOCK OF

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Hats & Gloves, Underclothing,

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Red and white China Matting.
All kinds of Ratan Chairs.

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Clothes Renovated and Repaired with neatness and dispatch.

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(OPPOSITE FELL & FINLAYSON'S STORE.)

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Begs to inform his Friends and the Public that in addition to his Hotel on Langley Street, he has refitted the above Establishment, which will now be found replete with every convenience.

GOOD ACCOMMODATION

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Furniture, Bedding, Mirrors,

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Cheaper than ever. for Cash.

J. SEHL, Importer and Manufacturer of all kinds of Furniture, Bedding, Mirrors, and Upholstery Goods, has just received, in addition to his large and well-assorted Stock of Furniture, a large quantity of Chairs of all kinds, suitable for the upper country trade; Sofa and Bed Springs; Gilt Rosewood and Walnut Picture Mouldings and oval Frames, all sizes; Looking plates from 8x10 to 20x40. Culled hair, moss, and spring Mattrasses and Lounges always on hand and made to order. Curtains, Cornices, Window Blinds, Matting, Oil Cloth, and Carpets. Children's Carriages from $7 50 upwards. Finishing Nails, Screws, Brass hinges, Picture Nails, and a variety of Hardware. Furniture made and repaired. Chairs, Sofas, Lounges, &c., re-covered in Hair, Cloth, Plush, Damask, &c.

Everything warranted as represented.

2500 yards best quality Tapestry Carpet in or out of Bond.

I am determined not to be undersold by any body

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HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED TO RUN BEween Victoria and Esquimalt, at stated hours, every day, starting from the corner of Yates and Government streets, Victoria, and Wharf street, Esquimalt.

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At 9 a. m.	At 10 a. m.
At 10 a. m.	At 12 m.
At 12 m.	At 2 p. m.
At 2 p. m.	At 4 p. m.
At 4 p. m.	At 5 p. m.

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Encourage Home Manufacture

THE UNDERSIGNED takes pleasure in announcing a Great Reduction in the Retail Prices of his

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And all other kinds without end, will be sold at 75cents per pound.

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and is now kept and sold by all respectable dealers.

To large consumers they offer every facility as regards

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Sea Stores—they can be bought in bond—or Duty Paid, and all goods whether for the Royal Navy at Esquimalt, or at any part of the City or Surburbs, will be promptly delivered by our express waggon free of costs.

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The Howe Sound

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By order of the Directors.

HENRY V. EDMONDS,
Secretary.

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Horse Shoeing and everything in the line strictly attended to with promptness.

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Amontillado Sherry. A very dry wine.	per. doz. $15 50.
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Golden Sherry, A fine flavored wine.	per. doz. $13 50
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Brown Sherry, A pure bodied wine.	per. doz. 12 00
Pale Sherry, P. A pure light wine.	per. doz. 11 00
Pale Sherry. N. Z. S. A dry and light wine,	per. doz. 10 00
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